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1. [blank] Called Mr. Harry Symmes, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Congressional Relations, to say that we considered the handling of Senator Fulbright's request for information on the effect of the Okinawa Treaty on nuclear deployments in the Pacific to be a policy matter on which we would not take a position. Symmes said he understood our problem, but at least wanted to be sure we would not line up with Defense against State.

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2. [blank] Talked to Mr. Jim Cline, House Immigration Subcommittee staff, who told me that there was quite a bit of discussion of the [blank] case when it came before the Subcommittee yesterday but there was no adverse criticism. Two former FBI members, Representatives Wiley Mayne (R., Iowa) and Lawrence Hogan (R., Md.), both recommended to the Chairman that it would be well to have the man who has been dealing with the Subcommittee on these matters to meet with the Subcommittee the next time that one of these bills is considered to respond to possible questions that might not be answerable from the file. Mr. Cline told me it was not a hostile recommendation at all but rather a desire on the part of at least these two members for firsthand review of such cases rather than review of blind memoranda. We have one more case scheduled to come before the Subcommittee this year.

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3. [blank] Talked to Miss Scott, Personal Secretary to Russ Blandford, House Armed Services Committee staff, and gave her the names of the Agency participants in the meeting with the Nedzi Subcommittee last week.

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4. [blank] Met with Miss Bernice Kalinowski, Personal Secretary to Frank Slatinshek, House Armed Services Committee staff, who told me that as yet there have been no communications with the Senate Committee on the appointment of conferees. Senate conferees on the Procurement bill were appointed during the brief session of the Senate at noontime. Since the House is not in session, no possible action can be taken before next week.

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